

Rebuttal to the Argument Against Measure KK

Please vote Yes on Measure KK.

Simply put, maintaining and enhancing Belmont's roads, emergency services, parks, and other priorities require funding. Belmont's visitors, businesses, residents, all benefit from this.

Measure KK helps ensure that we can do this. Measure KK will provide Belmont with an additional \$560,000 per year, allowing us to direct more resources to improve our roads and parks.

Most cities in San Mateo County have a higher Transient Occupancy Tax than Belmont.

Do you want to live in the type of city advocated for by those arguing against Measure KK? A city where potholes are not fixed? A city where 911 services are not maintained? A city where parks are not maintained? We certainly do not!

Measure KK will give our City local control over an incremental \$560,000 annually for:

- Infrastructure improvements including streets, storm drains, and sidewalks;
- Maintaining 9-1-1 emergency response times;
- Maintaining and improving parks and;
- Addressing other local priorities

Visitors to our wonderful city will continue to contribute to maintaining and improving our roads, emergency services, parks and recreation opportunities.

Remember, all our TOT revenue remains here in Belmont. This revenue will be put to work to benefit you!

Please join us in voting Yes on Measure KK.

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Douglas Kim	Mayor, Belmont
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Robert Ledoux	Former Belmont Finance Commissioner